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This is in response to your letter of 31 March 1985 in which you set forth some amended suggestions to your previous proposals for improving the Agency's capacity to respond to FOIA requesters.

I would like to assure you that considerable time and thought have gone into reviewing the Agency's performance in this area and a number of changes have already been made in the Agency's FOIA procedures. We have experienced measurable improvements as a result of these changes, even before the implementation of the CIA Information Act. I believe we can reasonably anticipate a continued improvement in the Agency's performance as the full impact of that Act takes effect. Under the circumstances it would seem imprudent to impose organizational changes for purposes already being achieved.

Thank you again for your continued interest in the Agency and its future.

Sincerely,

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for
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